1

PTO/SB/08A (10-01)

Approved for use through 10/31/2002-OMB 0651-0031
U. S. Patent and Trademark Office: U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, no persons are required to res

Substitute for form 1449A/PTO

INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT BY APPLICANT

(use as many sheets as necessary)

Sheet

DOING TO 8 CONSCISOU OF FUTOR	nation unless it contains a valid OMB control number.
	Complete if Known
Application Number	10/021,955
Filing Date	December 13, 2001
First Named Inventor	James R. Lupski
Art Unit	1637
Examiner Name	S. Chunduru
Attorney Docket Number	HO-P02086US1

U.S. PATENT DOCUMENTS					
Examiner	Cite	Document Number	Publication Date	Name of Potentias on A - II 4	Pages, Columns, Lines,
Initials* No.		Number-Kind Code ² (Il known)		Name of Patentee or Applicant of Cited Document	Where Relevant Passages or Relevant Figures Appear
SPE	AA	US-5,599,920	02-04-1997	Patel, et al.	· www.s.Appear

		FOREI	GN PATENT (DOCUMENTS		
Examiner Initials*	Cite No.	Foreign Patent Document Country Code ³ -Number Hind Code ⁵ (If Innown)	Publication Date MM-DD-YYYY	Name of Patentee or Applicant of Cited Document	Pages, Columns, Lines, Where Relevant Passages or Relevant Figures Appear	70
L				·		

^{*}EXAMINER: Initial if reference considered, whether or not citation is in conformance with MPEP 609. Draw line through citation if not in conformance and not considered. Include copy of this form with next communication to applicant

¹ Applicant's unique citation designation number (optional). ² See attached Kinds Codes of USPTO Patent Documents at www.uspto.gov or MPEP 901.04. ³ Enter Office that Issued the document, by the two-letter code (WIPO Standard ST.3). ⁴ For Japanese patent documents, the indication of the year of the reign of the Emperor must precede the application number of the patent document. ⁴ Kind of document by the appropriate symbols as indicated on the document under WIPO Standard ST. 16 if possible. ⁵ Applicant is to place a check mark here if English language Translation is attached.

NON PATENT LITERATURE DOCUMENTS				
Examiner Initials	Cite No.1	Include name of the author (in CAPITAL LETTERS), title of the article (when appropriate), title of the item (book, magazine, journal, serial, symposium, catalog, etc), date, page(s), volume-issue number(s), publisher, city and/or country where published.	T²	
De Sor	CA	Kijima, Kazuki, et al; Periaxin mutation causes early-onset but slow-progressive Charcot- Marie-Tooth disease; J. Hum. Genet., (2004) Vol. 49, pp. 376-379.		
8pc	СВ	Takashima, Hiroshi, et al.; Periaxin Mutations Caused a Broad Spectrum of Demyelinating Neuropathies; Ann. Neurol (2002), Vol. 51, pp. 709-715.	1	

^{&#}x27;EXAMINER: Initial if reference considered, whether or not citation is in conformance with MPEP 609. Draw line through citation if not in conformance and not considered. Include copy of this form with next communication to applicant.

25436571.1 Examiner Signature	Brabba Chemdury	Date Considered	1/7/05

^{&#}x27;Applicant's unique citation designation number (optional). 'Applicant is to place a check mark here if English tanguage Translation is attached.